Traffic Stop Leads to Drug Arrest-Lewes

Lewes – The Delaware State Police have arrested a Milton, DE man on multiple drug charges after he was stopped for traffic violations.

The incident occurred at approximately 8:35 p.m., Wednesday, November 6, 2019 when a Trooper conducted a traffic stop on a silver Landrover SUV on Beaver Dam Road Lewes, after the operator failed to signal a lane change and failed to remain within a single lane. The Landrover was occupied by the driver and sole occupant, **Harry Johnson Jr**., 51, of Milton, DE. Upon making contact with Johnson, the Trooper detected an odor of marijuana coming from inside the vehicle. Further investigation determined that Johnson was driving under the influence of drugs and a subsequent search of the vehicle produced the following:

- Approximately 0.14 grams of heroin
- 83 Amphetamine pills
- 4 Buprenorphine pills
- Approximately 23 grams of Marijuana
- Approximately 6.6 grams of Hashish
- Approximately 0.8 grams of Methamphetamine
- Drug Paraphernalia

Johnson was taken into custody without incident and transported back to Troop 7 where he was charged with the following:

- Driving Under the Influence of Drugs
- Failure to have Insurance Identification in Possession
- Failed to remain in a single lane
- Possession of Drug Paraphernalia (2 counts)
- Possession with Intent to Deliver a Controlled Substance Tier 4 Quantity

- Possession with Intent to Deliver a Controlled Substance with aggravated factor (5 counts)

Johnson was arraigned before the Justice of the Peace Court and committed to the Sussex Correctional Institution on $80,626 secured bond.

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